## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Serial No.: 09/682,883 :

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For: ETHERNET SWITCH :

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

## TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is:

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

- 1. Amendment Transmittal and Extension of Time (3 pages)
- 2. Amendment (13 pages)

## **STATUS**

2.	Applicant	
		claims small entity status.
		is other than a small entity

## **EXTENSION OF TERM**

- 3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. (complete (a) or (b), as applicable)
  - (a) X Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension for response within:		Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)	
X	first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00	
	second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00	
	third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00	
	fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00	
	fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00	

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If an	additiona	al extension of	time is required,	please consi	der this a petition t	herefor	·.
		(C	heck and complet	e the next ite	m, if applicable)		
		therefor	ension ofi or \$ is dedu ion now requested	cted from th	dready been secure e total fee due for t	d. The he total	fee paid I months of
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	(b)	<ul> <li>conditiona</li> </ul>	petition is being	made to pro	term is required. Hovide for the possib petition for extension	ility tha	at applicant has
4.	The fee f	or claims (37		OR CLAIM  )) has been o	S calculated as shown	below	: OTHER THAN
		l. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY
			HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE	OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE
TOTAL		MINU S		=	x \$25.00 =		x \$50.00 = \$
INDEP.		MINU		=	x \$100.00 =		x \$200.00 = \$
	FIRS		ON OF MULTIPLE I	DEP. CLAIM	+\$180.00 = \$		+ \$360.00 = \$
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	(a)	⊠ No ac	ditional fee for C	Claims is req	uired		
	(b)	☐ Total	additional fee for	OR r claims requ	uired \$		
5.		Attached is a	FEE I	PAYMENT of \$			
	$\boxtimes$	Charge Depo	sit Account No. 0	1-2384 the s	sum of \$ <u>120</u> .		

6.	$\boxtimes$	<b>FEE DEFICIENCY</b> If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.
	$\boxtimes$	AND/OR  If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.
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